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1. PURPOSE OF LANGUAGE IN AMENDMENT TO 1951 BILATERAL WAS
INDEED TO EXEMPT, AMONG OTHERS, CONTRACTORS FROM BOLIVIAN
TAXES AND DUTIES. TERM GOVERNMENT OF UNITED STATES WAS
USED BECAUSE OF EXPECTATION, PROVED OVER YEARS, THAT NAME
OF U.S. FOREIGN ASSISTANCE AGENCY WOULD CHANGE.

2. U.S. POLICY SERVED BY THIS EXEMPTION IS TO SAVE APPRO-
PRIATED FUNDS SINCE IN ABSENCE OF EXEMPTION AID WOULD
HAVE TO PAY CONTRACTORS SUBSTANTIALLY MORE. LANGUAGE ALONG
LINES FOUND IN BOLIVIA BILATERAL IS THEREFORE SOUGHT IN AID
BILATERALS GENERALLY. NOTE THAT THIS PROVISION DOES NOT
CONFER IMMUNITY FROM JURISDICTION ON CONTRACTOR PERSONNEL.
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